

**BISMARCK HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
September 20, 2023**

The Bismarck Historic Preservation Commission met on Wednesday, September 20, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. in the Tom Baker Meeting Room in the City-County Office Building, 221 North 5th Street. The meeting was held in person and via Zoom. Chair Sakariassen presided.

Commissioners present were Michael Connelly, Blake Dinkins, Damita Engel, Calvin Grinnell, Tory Jackson, Beth Nodland and Amy Sakariassen

Staff members present were Sandra Bogaczyk – Office Assistant II, Ben Ehreth – Community Development Director, Isak Johnson – Planner, Daniel Nairn – Planning Manager, and Stephanie Pretzer – Assistant City Attorney.

MINUTES

Chair Sakariassen called for consideration of the minutes of the August 16, 2023 meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission.

MOTION: A motion was made by Commissioner Dinkins to approve the minutes of the August 16, 2023 meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Nodland and with Commissioners Connelly, Dinkins, Engel, Grinnell, Jackson, Nodland and Chair Sakariassen voting in favor of the motion, the motion was approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Chair Sakariassen asked if there were any public comments.

There being no public input, Chair Sakariassen resumed the meeting.

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Mr. Dinkins updated commissioners about the Street Light Banner subcommittee activities.

Ms. Nodland added that there were pictures taken of street banners in another city to help inform the subcommittee's decision making.

Chair Sakariassen summarized experiences with the Walking/Driving Tour Maps subcommittee, including costs.

There was discussion about remaining funds being spent on reprinting.

OTHER BUSINESS

There was discussion about the number of timeline books remaining and their continued distribution.

Chair Sakariassen read a letter thanking the Historic Preservation Commission for its diligence and commitment to creating the timeline and walking tour maps. It was well received and appreciated.

Mr. Jackson and Chair Sakariassen suggested looking at the Preservation Plan in upcoming meetings for clarity and continued alignment of objectives.

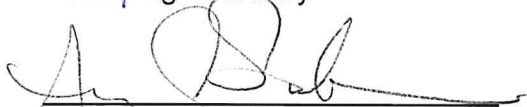
ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Chair Sakariassen declared the meeting of the Bismarck Historic Preservation Commission adjourned at 3:16 p.m. to meet again on October 18, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. in the Tom Baker Meeting Room.

Respectfully Submitted,



Sandra Bogaczyk
Recording Secretary



Amy Sakariassen
Chair